REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicants thank the Examiner for granting a telephonic interview with the Applicants' representative on April 25, 2008. In accordance with the telephonic interview, the Examiner agreed to the withdraw the rejection in the Office Action dated January 29, 2008 because the reference fails to have an earlier effective filing date than the present application. Accordingly, withdrawal of the rejection is respectfully requested.

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Conclusion

If the Examiner believes that any additional minor formal matters need to be

addressed in order to place this application in condition for allowance, or that a

telephonic interview will help to materially advance the prosecution of this

application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone at the

Examiner's convenience.

In view of the foregoing remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that the

present application is in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is

respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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